GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
POWER
LOK SABHA

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CONSTRUCTION OF NEW LINES IN KERALA
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Will the Minister of POWER be pleased to state:

(a) whether there is any proposal from the State Government of Kerala to construct new lines from Karnataka to Northern Kerala;

(b) if so, the details thereof; and

(c) if not, the reasons therefor and response of the Government thereto?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF POWER (SHRIMATI JAYAWANTI MEHTA)

(a) to (c) : POWERGRID has planned to establish a 400 kV Mysore (Karnataka) -Kozhikode (Northern Kerala) D/C line along with 400/220 kV, 2x315 MVA sub-station at Mysore and Kozhikode as part of transmission system associated with Kaiga-II (2x220MW) Atomic Power project of Nuclear Power Corporation during 10th Plan period.POWERGRID is preparing the feasibility report of the transmission project which will be considered by Central Electricity Authority for techno-economic approval. The project is envisaged to be completed by 2006-07.